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ORGANIZATION TICKET

The Kent County Democratic Organization have endorsed the following ticket for the Democratic primaries to be held on Monday, September 10th:

State Senator
WILLIAM F. RUSSELL
Cashier Kent County Savings Bank

State's Attorney
S. SCOTT BECK

For Legislature
CAPT. CHARLES R. KERR
Rock Hall, Waterman
HARRY L. WOODBURN
Galena, Farmer

For Treasurer
GEORGE W. SUTTON
Kennedyville, Farmer

For County Commissioner
RINGGOLD JONES
Rock Hall, Farmer
STONEWALL J. JOHNSON
Massey, Farmer

For Orphans' Court
DR. EDWARD A. SCOTT
Galena
HENRY THOMPSON
Rock Hall
W. K. HUDSON
Fairlee

For Sheriff
WILLIAM W. GOODMAN
Pomona.

State Central Committee
MRS. JENNIE B. WHALAND
MRS. HELEN E. BRICE
MRS. PRICIE WATSON
JOHN W. HARMAN
ROBERT MOFFETT
J. EDGAR STRONG

Delegates to State Convention
ERNEST D. BRISCOE
MORRIS H. COOPER
ELMER S. JARMAN

SIMPLY IMPOSSIBLE

You cannot be for a thing and against it at the same time. You cannot be for two things at the same time when one is in direct opposition to the other. You cannot be for "law enforcement" and against "law enforcement" at the same time. Such things never have been done by anybody, living or dead, and it is worse than nonsense and humbuggery for any candidate to try to do them now. Such a candidate is simply deceiving himself, or trying to deceive the people when he undertakes to perform this "political impossibility."

There Should Be No Uncertainty

The Kent News is the mouth piece of the public and feels it a duty to present questions of the day in such a way as to inform its readers. When this is done we have performed our public duty. It is then for the readers to act upon this information.

In the primary campaign we have discussed the issues in a plan and straight forward way and will abide by the will of the people. There is a matter in which the public is certainly deeply interested—namely, the position taken by the candidates on the issues of the day.

Senator William F. Russell has made known his position by his acts. Actions speak louder than anything he might say. He has also published thru the press his attitude toward the farmer, fishermen and oystermen and education. He made a worthy and loyal representative and deserves the vote of every Democratic man and woman in Kent.

What is Mr. Copper's platform? Here it is from his paper: "He (Mr. Copper) will go to Annapolis with an open mind."

"He (Mr. Copper) is unable to state his views on particular issues until he knows just what form these issues will take."

Every voter knows that the issues are plain and simple and whether they be in the "form" of "law" or "unlawful" every man should be able to state his position.

THE JUDGESHIP CONTEST

As the Democratic primary campaign swings into the final period, encouraging reports are being received from every county in the Second Judicial Circuit to the effect that Judge Thomas J. Keating, of Queen Annes county, will be returned to the bench by a substantial plurality.

In previous expressions of sentiment, regarding the Judgeship, we have taken occasion to remark that we believe Judge Thomas J. Keating should be elected and returned to the bench to complete the important and responsible work in which he has been engaged since his appointment, following the death of the late Judge Philemon B. Hopper.

Since his elevation to the bench, Judge Keating has manifested a satisfactory attitude and displayed a keen and judicious insight into the intricate duties of the judiciary. He is eminently qualified, by temperament, training and experience, to continue the important work in which he is now engaged. And atthistime there is every indication that he will receive help and encouragement from a substantial majority of the voters not only in Queen Annes county, but throughout the five counties comprising the Second Judicial Circuit.

From time immemorial judges have refrained from participating actively in politics, either in behalf of others or themselves. And in this connection Judge Keating has confined his activities to a plain, straight forward announcement of his candidacy. His record as an able, conscientious member of the legal profession, and later as a jurist, entitles him to the support of voters who are sincerely interested in placing upon the bench men of unquestioned integrity and outstanding ability.—Centreville Observer.

IMPORTANT OFFICE

In the political history of the county there seems to have been noted the idea that anybody can be a Sheriff and some believe that anybody will be acceptable to the voters for Sherff. This is not the case. We have in the Sheriff's office now a man who appreciates the duties of the office and tries to uphold the dignity of the same. One of his opponents two years ago was William Goodman, of Quaker Neck, now a candidate. His vote two years ago in Quaker Neck with Sheriff Hadaway, John Burris and Emory Crouch in the field proves his popularity at home. He is a true and tried Democrat, a loyal friend and believes in enforcement of law. We bespeak for him a successful campaign.

In reference to this high office of Sheriff we would impress the voter with its importance. Upon him lies the responsibility of carrying out all orders of the court, serving summons, writs, executions and other processes of the law. The Sheriff is also looked to for the preservation of law and order and it is on him that the community must to a great extent depend for the detection, arrest and safe-keeping, until the Courts pass judgment, of criminals from the petty thief to the murderer.

A very brief study of his many important duties is enough to convince one that to properly fill this office requires a man of many parts. Both his duties in civil and criminal matters makes it first of all imperative that he be industrious, honest and upright, above a bribe and incorruptible, free from entangling alliances or influences that could tend to interfere with his official duties.

As he may be called upon to arrest a desperate and dangerous criminal, at any time, he must possess physical courage enough to make him fearless in the performance of his duties. Since criminals do not aim to leave any evidence behind them, the Sheriff, in order to arrest the perpetrators of crime, must possess the abilities of an investigator and sleuth.

He must be a student of human nature, wide awake, alert, always on the watch, ready to read in the most trivial happenings or circumstances the facts relative to a crime and to those guilty of committing it.

Due to the unusual wave of lawlessness that has swept over the county, State and Nation, the office of Sheriff is of even more importance now that in the recent past. To hold the criminal classes in check requires a firm and intelligent hand. The right man is bound to act as a detriment to law-breakers because of their fear of his activities and the wrong man will conversely be a bid for lawlessness.

It is this that should make the Democratic men and wozien of this county think before they register their choice for Sheriff in the Democratic primary this year. There is something more than the mere giving of the place to a friend involved in the question; there is that involved which affects the life and property of all.

Before casting a vote for a man to fill this office the men and women of the county owe it to themselves and to the community to make a thorough investigation with the idea of ascertaining as much as they can about the character of the men asking for their support.

There are several aspirants this year for the office, and the question to be solved by the voters is to find a among these aspirants the one most fitted for its duties.

Outside of its importance the office of sheriff is a good paying office. The sheriff is paid by fees and commissions, and this amounts to about $2,000 a year, varying as the conditions and activity of the sheriff varies.

The duties, if properly performed, are onerous and often unpleasant and at times may be even hazardous. The power for good is great and the opportunity for harm is also there.

A strong, honest, capable sheriff can do much to stem the tide of lawlessness and curb the activities of the criminal classes; the court can direct, command and punish after conviction, the State's Attorney may assist, help and direct, and after arrest, vigorously prosecute, but the field officer in detecting and arresting criminals is the sheriff and his deputies—his must be first performed before the State's Attorney can prosecute or the Court punish.

To our mind the man who can fill these requirements is Capt. William Goodman, of Quaker Neck. For many years he was mate on the steamer Corsica under the late Capt. Vandyke.

The Oath Taken By Each Member Of Our Legislature

The Constitution of Maryland requires that every member of the Legislature before entering upon the duties of his office shall take and subscribe to the following oath:

"I do swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States and that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to the State of Maryland, and support the Constitution and Laws thereof; and that I wll to the best of my skill and judgment, diligently and faithfully, without partiality or prejudice, execute the office according to the Constitution and Laws of this State."

And Article 2 of the Declaration of Rights of the State of Maryland says: "The Constitution of the United States, and the Laws made or which shall be made in pursuance thereof, and all Treaties made, or which shall be made, under the authority of the United States are, and shall be the surpreme law of the State: and the Judges of this State, and all the people of this State, are, and shall be bound thereby anything in the Constitution or Law of this State to the contrary notwithstanding."

You will observe from the above that each member swears first that "he will support the Constitution of the United States," and second that "he will be faithful and bear true allegiance to the State of Maryaland and support the Constitution and Laws thereof,' and this State Constitution which he swears he will support, in Article 2 of the Bill of Rights, says "The Constitution of the United States and the Laws made or which shall be made in pursuance thereof are and shall be the supreme law of the State."

FOR SALE

Will sell property Corner of Queen and Cannon St., Chestertown, now occupied by Mrs. Tucker. Fair price. House has eight rooms, bath, large yard, electric lights. J. W. RUSSELL, 11 E. Lexington St., Baltimore, Md. a25

Public Sale of Real Estate

In Chestertown, Md.

Under and by virtue of the authority contained in the last will and testament of Julia C. Wroth, deceased, and by virtue of an order of Orphans' Court of Kent County, Md., passed August 14, 1922, the undersigned will offer at public sale in front of the Court House in Chestertown, Md., on

Tuesday, Sept. 4th, 1923

between the hours of 11 and 12 o'clock a. m.

FIRST—LOT

situated in Chestertown, Maryland, on the southeast side of Front street, adjoining the old Custom House, being the same which was conveyed to the said Julia C. Wroth by Wilbur W. Hubbard and wife, by deed dated December 1, 1917, recorded in Liber A. P. R., No. 1, Folio 572.

Improved by a TWO AND A HALF STORY FRAME BUILDING, with seven rooms, large bath, electrically lighted, furnace in cellar, comparatively new.

SECOND—LOT

in Chestertown, Maryland, on the Southwest side of Maple Avenue, and adjoining the property of Mary A. Moody; said lot having a frontage on said Maple Avenue of 16 feet and an even depth of 116 feet; being the same which descended to the said Julia C. Wroth from her mother, Harriett Caleb.

Improved by a two-story Frame Building, 5 rooms, in fair condition.

TERMS OF SALE:—One-third of purchase money in cash on day of sale and the balance in two equal installments, payable in six months and twelve months from date with interest. If desired by the purchaser a reasonable mortgage could be arranged, or all cash.

All title papers, including War Revenue Stamp at the cost of the purchaser.

THOMAS G. WROTH,
Administrator, C. T. A.

FRESH COWS

I have at my stable in Centreville, Md.,

A Car Load of Fresh Cows and Close Up Springers

the best I have ever owned. Just out of a Federal tuberculin test, ages from 3 to 6 years. Bought them all from one man and he raised them and kept nothing but the best. Have cows in this load that will milk 60 lbs. milk a day. If you want a good cow I have her. Majority of the calves not yet ready to sell. Now is your opportunity to buy a good cow. Also

A 2-YEAR-OLD GUERNSEY BULL

A beauty. Come look them over.

ROBERT COURSEY,
Phone 192. Centreville, Md.

Assignee's Sale —OF— Valuable Farm

IN KENT COUNTY, MARYLAND.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a mortgage from William H. Wheat and Mary E. Wheat his wife, to The Peoples Bank, of Chestertown, Maryland, dated the 5th day of July, in the year nineteen hundred and nineteen and assigned unto R. Hynson Rogers, Attorney, said mortgage and assignment being recorded in Liber A. P. R. No. 5 folio 95 etc., one of the Land Record Books for Kent County, Maryland, default having occurred in the terms of said mortgage, the undersigned as assignee will offer at public sale in front of the Court House door in the town of Chestertown, Kent County, Maryland, on

Tuesday, Sept. 25th, 1923,

at 11 o'clock a. m., the property covered by said mortgage, consisting of

All That Farm, or Tract of Land

situate, lying and being in the Third Election District of Kent County, at or near the head of Still Pond Creek joining the lands formerly belonging to James A. Rosenberry and others and known by the name of

"Truelock" and "Kilpatrick" Farm.

and upon which the said Mrs. Mary E. Wheat now resides,

211 Acres of Land

One Rood and Five Perches,

more or less, about 170 acres of which is tillable land and about

41 Acres in Valuable Woodland.

Improvements consist of Frame Dwelling, Stone and Frame Stable, Cow Stables, Sheep Shed, Implement Shed and Chicken House.

TERMS OF SALE:—One third of purchase money will be required in cash on day of sale and the balance in two equal installments of 6 and 12 months respectively from date of sale, said deferred payments to bear interest from day of sale, and to be secured to the satisfaction of the undersigned or all the purchase money in cash at the option of the purchaser.

The purchaser is to bear all expenses of the title papers including revenue stamps.

R. HYNSON ROGERS,
Attorney Assignee.
John T. Jester, Auctoneer.

A CARD

I hereby announce my candidacy for Treasurer of Kent County subject to the Democratic Primaries.

j16 JOSIAH MASSEY.

KENT NEWS $1.50 PER YEAR

Public Sale —OF— Valuable PERSONALTY !

The undersigned, having decided to discontinue farming, will sell without reserve on the farm where he now resides, on the public road from Lankford to St. Paul's, one mile from St. Paul's Church, on

Thursday, Sept. 20, 1923

10.30 a. m.,

the following personal property :,

8 Head Horses

AND TWO COLTS

These horses are of percheon type and of good size :

1 bay horse, Sly, 9 years old.
1 bay horse, Joe, 6 years old.
These two are very much alike and are good matches.
1 brown horse, Dan, 8 years old.
1 bay mare, Fancy, 6 years old, exceedingly good in all harness. A good saddle horse.
1 bay horse, Jim, 5 years old, well broken.
1 brown mare, Nancy, 13 years old.
1 black horse, Billy, 12 years old, good work horse.
1 colt, black mare, Molly, 1 year old.
1 sorrel colt, mare, Nellie, 1 year old.

These horses are well-known in the neighborhood. It will be worth your while to come and look them over.

17 Head Milch Cows

1 BULL AND SOME HEIFERS

Most of these cows are milking good now and will be all winter. Some will come in this fall. These cows consist of Holstens, Guernseys and Jerseys. Some would make good cows for private familes.

1 BROOD SOW and THOROUGHBRED BERKSHIRE MALE HOG.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS

Two farm wagons, 1 dearborn, 1 carriage, 1 McCormick binder in good condition, has been used two seasons, 1 International manure spreader, 1 Superior grain drill, will sow all kinds of seed, 1 International Corn Planter with wire attachment, has been used two years, 1 McCormick mower, 1 International hay tetter, 1 hay rake, 1 Deering randal harrow in good conditon, nearly new, 2 drag harrows, 1 Acme harrow, 1 spring-tooth, 2 Buckeye cultivators, 3 walking cultivators, 1 roller, 2 Oliver riding plows, 1 2-horse plow, 1 1-horse plow, 1 corn cutter, 2 corn shellers, 2 dearborn poles, 1 barn truck, 1 Vise, 2 hand saws and one cross cut, 1 tool chest, 2 sets wagon gears, plow gears and carriage gears, single trees, double trees, shovels, rakes, forks and hoes, and other things too numerous to mention.

ABOUT 20 TONS OF GOOD HAY

TERMS—Sums of $10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 12 months will be given on note of approved security. No property to be removed until terms are complied with.

JOHN A. SMITH.
H. Stockton Startt, Auct.

NOTICE

Beginning Tuesday, August 28th, 1923, Steamer LOUISE will leave Baltimore daily at 8.45 a. m. and 2.30 p. m.

Leave Tolchester daily at 10.45 a. m. and 7.00 p. m.

Last trip September 4th.

a25 TOLCHESTER CO.

PUBLIC SALE —OF— Farm Personalty

The undersigned having decided to discontinue farming, will sell without reserve, on the James B. Wilson home farm, below Rock Hall, on

Tuesday, September 11, 1923

beginning at 10 a. m.

The following personal property:

6 HEAD OF HORSES

All good workers and some good drivers.

5 HEAD OF COWS

All good milkers.

8 HEAD OF HOGS

2 farm wagons, 1 dearborn, 1 manure spreader, 1 Deering binder, 1 corn planter, 1 Superior grain drill, 1 steel roller, 1 sulkey cultivator, 3 hand cultivators, 1 grass mower, 1 hay rake, 1 disk harrow, 1 spring tooth harrow, 1 drag harrow, 1 surveying outfit, 1 Schauber corn cutter, 1 chop grinder, 1 John Deer Riding plow, 1 99 Oliver three horse plow, 1 2 Oliver horse plow, 1 Witte Engine and saw, one man rig; 2 one horse plows, 1 potato plow, 1 wheat fan, 1 corn sheller, 1 W. B. grass seeder, 1 grind stone, 1 ditch scoop, 1 sleigh, 1 buggy and harness, 1 chest tools and vice, 1 hand power post drill, plow harness, corn knives, hoes, shovels, spades and 1 set of taps and dies, and other things too numerous to mention.

TERMS:—All sums of $20 or less cash on day of sale; over this amount a credit of 12 months with interest to be added on approved note. No property to be removed until terms are complied with.

MRS. GERTRUDE WILSON,
Administratrix.
J. T. Jester, Auct.

Public Sale of Personalty !

The undersigned will stop farming and will sell without reserve on the farm where he now resides about 2 miles below Chestertown, on Quaker Neck, road, on

Monday, September 3, 1923

AT 10.30 A. M.

6 Head of Horses

All large and fine workers.

14 Head of Cows

6 HEIFERS AND 2 BULLS
Bull entitled to register.
10 HOGS AND 14 SHOTES

One binder, 1 mower, 1 hay rake, new; 2 corn cutters, 2 farm wagons, 2 Oliver riding plows, 1 98 Oliver plow, 1 1-horse plow, 3 riding cultivators 1 manure spreader, 1 Ontario wheat drill, 1 Thomas alfalfa drill, 1 corn sheller, 1 grain fan, 1 wheel barrow, 1 tomato rigging, 1 sleigh, 1 corn planter, phosphate attachment, 1 vice, 1 set block and falls, wagon harness, plow harness, collars and bridles, double disc harrows, spring harrow, spike harrow, log chains, single trees, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6-horse; half bushel, hedge knive, hedge clipper, bush axes, bramble scythe, shovels, spades, hoes, forks, hay tedder, etc.

Some Household and Kitchen Furniture, stoves, coal and wood.

TERMS—Sums of $10 and under, cash; over that amount credit of 12 months will be given on note of approved security.

JAMES B. NEWNAM, SR.
H. S. Startt, Auct.

Ladies' of Bond Church will serve lunch.

Help Yourself

The last and final reductions of Men's Fancy Shirts, colors, patterns and styles to suit every man. Sizes 13½ to 17.

All $1 50 and $2 Qualities
NOW $1.15
All $2.50 and $3 Qualities
NOW $1.85
All $3.50 and $4 Qualities
NOW $2.65

Don't miss this opportunity to tie up to a big saving in Men's Neckwear—$1.00 grades now 75c; $1.50 qualities $1.00; $2.00 qualities, $1.55.

Mullin's Clothing Store
WILMINGTON

WANTED

Experienced operators in the Shirt and Dress Factory on Calvert street, Chestertown. Beginners earn $7 per week. Experienced help make $15 per week.

Public Sale

The undersigned, intending to discontinue farming, will sell at public sale on the Nicholson Farm, between Back Creek and Bunker Hill, Cecil county, Md., about 4½ miles west of Mt. Pleasant, Del., on

MONDAY SEPT. 3rd, 1923

the following described property to wit :

10 Head Horses & Colts

29 Head Cattle

of which 26 are milch cows. Some have calves by their sides, others springing. This is as fine a herd of cows as there is in the county. Don't miss seeing these cows sold.

HOGS

40 HEAD SOWS, SHOATS & PIGS

Farming Implements of all kinds in good order. Hay by the ton. Other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of $20 and under, cash; all sums over that amount a credit of eleven months will be given by purchaser giving bankable note with approved security with interest from date. No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

FRED ROBERTS.
Racine & Blackburn, Auctioneers.
Jas. D. Davis, Jr., Inside Clerk.
Tullard Buckworth, Outside Clerk.

GREAT AUCTION SALE

Everything Goes and Must Go to the Highest Bidder

I will offer at my Store in Sandy Bottom, near St. Paul's Church, and close to the State road, on

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1923

Beginning at 11 A. M.

ALL MY STOCK OF GOODS IN BULK

Including a fine line of Dry Goods, Shoes, Boots, Notions, Groceries, Hardware, and Fixtures. Also lot of Xmas Toys.

At the same time will offer building and lots including a large

THREE-STORY STORE ROOM

Grocery Room Attached, also another 2-story room adjoining.

A 2-Story Warehouse, Garage, Barn, with big loft, carriage house and corn crib, and an extra corn crib, old stable, carriage house and coal house.

A DWELLING WITH 12 ROOMS

Electric Lights, Bath Room, and in good order. Hot and Cold Water.

12 ACRES OF LAND

All the above will be sold to the highest bidder on suitable terms.

I am selling because I have been 32 years in business and decided to retire.

ABE COHEN

H. S. STARTT, Auct. Sandy Bottom, Md.

School Begins
Sept. 10th

—and we are prepared to outfit your boy.

Save Money on Boy's All-Wool School Suits

Norfolk, knickerbocker-styled suits, with two pairs of knickers and belt all around. In all sizes,

$8.00

Your choice of greens, blues, browns and greys. All wool.

Boy's School Shoes

These shoes are made for hard wear. Brown "Hardy - Hyde," tanned by a new process, giving them double wear. "Lion Brand," all sizes. Just the shoes for the boy in school.

$2.75 to $3.45

Vansant & Newsome

305 High Street, : : CHESTERTOWN, MD.

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